

NEGRO WELFARE LEAGUE OF NEW JERSEY

Executive Committee.

Monday, July 29th, 1918.

The Executive Committee of the Negro Welfare League of New Jersey held its regular meeting on the above date at 13 Central Avenue. Those present were:- Dr. Davis W. Lusk, Chairman presided, Dr. W. H. Vail, president of the Society, Mrs. Eugene Gregory, Mr. J. P. Dusenberry, Mr. J. N. Vandervall, Rev. R. D. Brown, Mr. Van B. Powell, Rev. J. E. A. Johns, and Mr. C. M. Brown, who came in late.

The minutes of the last special meeting which was held Monday, June 8th, were read and confirmed. Motion was made and carried that this meeting being so near August be considered the regular committee meeting.

The treasurer was out of town and Miss Pendleton states that while the funds are low, it is enough in the administration fund to last two months longer. It was agreed that the secretary's report shall be postponed until in September, when a full report of the summer's work can be given.

Mr. Dusenberry reported that he has received \$3900. for the Building Fund. Mr. Ashby reports \$1300. in promises, making a total of \$5200. (See attached list.)

After some discussion as to the best methods of going to work to purchase the property for a neighborhood house for the League, it was moved, seconded and carried that Mr. Dusenberry be authorized to buy the house now owned by Mr. Green at 230 Bank Street, for a sum not exceeding \$12000.

Mr. Ashby suggested the necessity of having a proper staff of workers and a ~~monthly~~ fund, as he has been with the League a year and feels his salary and that of his assistant should be raised. The Committee was most sympathetic with his point of view, but it was decided that the discussion of the matter wait until the treasurer shall be present at the meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Helen B. Pendleton  
Secretary.

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List of subscribers for the  
Building Fund.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Mrs. Felix Fuld	\$500
Butterworth & Judson Corporation	\$500
L. Bamberger & Co.	\$500
Frank I. Liverwright	\$500
Robertson S. Ward	\$500
Wallace M. Scudder	\$500
J. William Clark	\$500
M. Strauss & Son	\$500
Chas. J. Basch	\$500
L. Hollander & Sons	\$300
Mrs. A. E. Ballantine	\$250
Dr. W. H. Vail	\$250
H.H. Kelsey	\$100
E. S. Bamberger	\$100
Peter Campbell	\$100
Forrest F. Dryden	\$100
Christian Fiegenspan	\$100